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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Confirmation No.: 2868
Inventors: Cyril MEZIERE et al.)) Group Art Unit: 3761
Serial No.: 10/771,289)) Examiner: Leslie R. Deak \
Filed: February 5, 2004	<i>)</i>)
For: SUPPORT DEVICE FOR CONTAINERS IN EXTRACORPOREAL BLOOD TREATMENT MACHINES	,)))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2009, the period for response extending through May 26, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this Reply.